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EX-STATE SENATOR JOHN P. GREENE, OF OHIO.

The man who stands today the leader of the colored republicans in the State of Ohio is ex-Senator John P. Greene of Cleveland. The Bee published an article sometime ago to the effect that he was the biggest man in Ohio, which caused the Editor of a local paper in that State to go into hysterics and publish himself as being the biggest man. The holding of a recent convention there, demonstrated the position that was taken by The Bee, when Mr. Greene and his friends defeated the alleged biggest man by the selection of one of their friends for legislative honors. Mr. Greene is a champion of Senator Hanna.

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rupt minds and the person who enters
them, is naturally evil.

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basis of love. Few men can afford now-a-days
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their wives, and often those who can
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should be worn only for evening occa-
sions, and not as a church dress, as the
white is a little too sheer.

—The man who tries to court
entertain two or three girls at the
same time, should not be trusted, as he
is a knave of the deepest dye.

—Don't worry; just feel glad
that you are rid of a fraud. The man
who is not true before marriage will
be false afterwards.

—Work is honorable, matters
what kind it may be. False
work can bring you no good.

—Don't shun your country
when she comes to see you in
winter as you may want to visit
her during the summer months.

—To cultivate your mind you
should read choice literature and origi-
nal books. Cheap novels can do the
work of no good.

—The so-called second
sight, or wearing such colors as
red, purple or black and white, have
no effect on disease.

—Never leave your own city
in search of a husband. Let men seek
you, not you seek them. The girl who
responds with a man whom she has
never seen cannot be classed among
the girls.

—I told you not to waste your
money on fancy colored goods such as
red or purple, which was all the
fashion of the early spring. At present
the points only to the most modest
tints, such as beige, gray, green or
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—You should not bestow all of
your affections upon your husband, the
week or month. Remember, men
are not made to be kept within
the good graces, the housewife must
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—Bicycling, like any other
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limbs are limited is certainly not
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cent wheel.

—It is better to be an old maid in
a more than a bride in misery. Still
marriage is so sacred a thing, until I
do not like to express my candid
opinion in your case, but by all means
marry for spite.

—A sensible girl who may
have once fallen from grace, will not
allow herself with the fact, that there
are others. Because you have been
deceived is no reason why you
should give way to the wickedness of
world. An unfortunate girl can re-
new herself in the estimation of sensi-
ble people.

—Don't criticize a person who takes in
for a living, when you are
poor or in need of clothing.

—Dress does not amount to very
much when it is indulged in freely by a
poor person. Many an honest
heart beats under a tattered garment.
Pride is like a false face, very
deceitful.

—Let your life be a pure one.
When spread around men the flowers
of honesty.

—No lady will listen to uncomplai-
ning remarks by men, about her
sex; neither will a gentleman de-
light in making such remarks.

—Don't be unhappy, remem-
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EDITORIAL SYNOPSIS.

I desire to call the attention of the Brethren to the School of Instructions which meets Sunday from 3 to 5.30 P. M., and The Washington Bee—our organ. There is an old adage which we must bear in mind viz: Praise the bridge that carries you over. The moral of this is, Don't forget The Bee (that stings.) Relative to the School of Instructions Sunday, the subject will be, "Clandestine and Bogus Masonic Bodies." Brethren are invited, and please pass the word among the workmen and tell them to assemble at the Temple. Relative to our Sunday School Tracts which are being handed around, see the Masters who have the supplies or the Grand Secretary, also remember that part of the Good Book which says, "Let your good work so shine before men, that they can see your good works and glorify accordingly," etc. I see our Rev. friend gave some good points recently, but on an occasion previous these bits of advice slipped his mind; he forgot what he is now preaching.

GEMS FROM THE QUARRIES.

The Grand Court I. O. O. C., will convene at Augusta, Ga., July 8th.

A Grand Household of Ruth for Georgia was organized at Dawson, Ga. June 4.

A new Court of Calanth was organized at Arabi, Ga., recently.

The 27th Grand Communication of the Grand Lodge of Georgia was held June 23, at Rome. Large attendance, etc.

At the election of officers of the Grand Lodge of New York Masons, held recently, Bro. E. R. Spalding of Oswego was elected as G. M. There are 30 Lodges in the State with a membership of 800.

June 24th Rocky Mountain Lodge No. 1, Masons, had a sermon preached to them by the Rev. Bro. Scott at Denver, Colo.

G. C. Bryant 33° who was recently elected W. M. of Green Pasture Lodge No. 128 of Missouri, is said to be the youngest 33° Mason in the world.

Knight Simon Buchanan of Centreport Lodge No. 1 K. of P. of Kansas City, Mo., died June 12th.

Rev. Samuel Thomas of 24th U. S. Infantry died June 11. Deceased was a member of Noah's Ark Lodge, G. U. O. of O. P. and P. N. F.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ELECTION.

Mount Calvary Lodge No. 1 K. of P., D. C., June 25, elected the following officers for the next semi-annual tour: W. H. Thomas C. C.; Albert Butler, V. C.; G. W. Boggans, prelate; Horace Brown, M. of E. Frank Pendleton M. of F.; Isaac L. Henson, K. of R. and S.; G. W. Smith, M. of A.; W. R. Brent, I. G.; Charles Whitney, O. G.

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Officers of Charles Sumner Division U. R. K. of P., are Parris Busey, Captain Comdr., James H. Williams, First Lieut. Comdr. Hannibal Sheppard, Second Lieut. Comdr. Thos. Veney, Right Guide, Robert Hyson Left Guide, Watt Gibson, Treasurer, S. E. Jones, Recorder, A. Johnson Standard Bearer Jerry Banks Prelate. The officers were installed by Brig-General Sir H. N. Smith, assisted by Acting Adjutant General Sir Wm. H. Johnson.

The Masons of Chicago gave a Charity Entertainment St. Johns Day at First Regiment Armory.

The Memphis Appeal seems to be kicking itself to death about white Masons recognizing Negro Masons in this country. It says that there is a sad want of respect and gentility when any Lodge of white Masons allow a Negro Mason to enter, much less to make him their Master and the Lodge in New Jersey that thus degraded itself should receive the utter contempt of all white Lodges and their names and number heralded throughout the confines of this country and whenever a member should visit another Lodge or in anyway mix with the Brethren he should be told to pass on and be treated as a Clandestine Mason. [The Appeal may be of Masonic inclinations, etc., but we are satisfied that they know nothing about Masonry, for the simple reason that Masonry knows nothing about the color of the man, it is the work that is presented for inspection.] For the information of the legitimate faction who claim that the 17th st. faction is Bogus, etc., here is a sample illustration of the feelings of the white Masons of the United States towards the colored Masons of the United States, so far as their legality as a whole is concerned. The Trestle Board, a Masonic journal (white) says that they know nothing of Chinese or Negro Masons or any other irregular or clandestine Masons, and that they deem them irregular Masons through no fault of theirs, and that they are willing to greet them as Brethren whenever their Grand Lodges permit. There are

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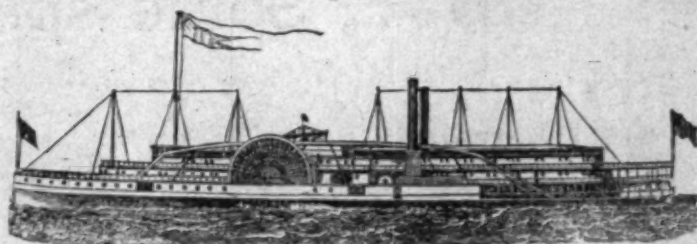
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The Grand Lodge of Texas Masons convened at Gainesville June 15. The craft commenced Labors at High Twelve. Reports of Grand officers show the affairs of the jurisdiction to be in good shape etc., about \$2,000 had been expended for charity. On the evening of the 7th a Lodge of Sorrow was held in memory of the deceased Brethren.

THE BEE is the organ of the K. of P. of the D. C., the Mystic Shrine, Scotch Rite, Royal and S. Masters, Good Samaritans and secret orders in general. To keep informed read THE BEE. The article which was intended to appear this week will appear next week. The reason it failed to appear this week was that the Cap Stone has not arrived.

All who desire to learn about Bogus Bodies and clandestine Masons will do well to be at the Hall Sunday July 4, at 3 P. M. Prof. Seville and assistants will be on hand. It is the intention of the faculty to make these lectures not only instructive but interesting etc. All who fail to attend will simply miss it. For light upon dark subjects read THE BEE.

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